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#### LAST APPLICANT(S)/OWNER(S) OF RECORD

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United States

**Legal Entity Type:** Trust

**State or Country Where Organized:** Massachusetts

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**GOODS AND/OR SERVICES**

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**International Class:** [041](#)**Class Status:** [Active](#)[MUSEUMS; PROVIDING AN EXHIBITION HALL FOR HONORING OUTSTANDING CHESS PLAYERS](#)**Basis:** [1\(a\)](#)**First Use Date:** [2001-04-00](#)**First Use in Commerce Date:** [2001-04-00](#)

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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**Disclaimer:** ["HALL OF FAME"](#)

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**PROSECUTION HISTORY**

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Prior U.S. Cls.: 100, 101, and 107

**United States Patent and Trademark Office**

**Reg. No. 2,551,246**

Registered Mar. 19, 2002

**SERVICE MARK  
SUPPLEMENTAL REGISTER**

**WORLD CHESS HALL OF FAME**

TRUSTEES OF THE U.S. CHESS TRUST, THE  
(MASSACHUSETTS TRUST)  
C/O U.S. CHESS FEDERATION  
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NEW WINDSOR, NY 12553

FOR: MUSEUMS; PROVIDING AN EXHIBITION  
HALL FOR HONORING OUTSTANDING CHESS  
PLAYERS, IN CLASS 41 (U.S. CLS. 100, 101 AND 107).

FIRST USE 4-0-2001; IN COMMERCE 4-0-2001.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE  
RIGHT TO USE "HALL OF FAME", APART FROM  
THE MARK AS SHOWN.

SER. NO. 75-776,712, FILED P.R. 8-13-1999; AM. S.R.  
7-9-2001.

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Citizenship: MASSACHUSETTS

Assignee: [WORLD CHESS MUSEUM, INC.](#)

Entity Type: NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Citizenship: MISSOURI

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### GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

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International Class: 041

Class Status: Active

Museums; providing an exhibition hall for honoring outstanding chess players

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1986-08-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 1986-08-00

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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Disclaimer: "HALL OF FAME MUSEUM"

Prior Registration Number(s):

1710938

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The World Chess Hall of Fame inductees are nominated by representatives of the World Chess Federation (FIDE).

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#### 2001



Jose Raul Capablanca



Robert (Bobby) James Fischer



Emanuel Lasker



Paul Charles Morphy



Willhelm (William) Steinitz

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## 2003



Mikhail Botvinnik



Tigran Petrosian



Vasily Smyslov



Boris Spassky



Mikhail Tal

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### 2004



Alexander Alekhine



Machgielis (Max) Euwe



Anatoly Karpov

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### 2005



Garry Kasparov

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## 2008



Siegbert Tarrasch

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## 2011



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